

SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1888.

It is a dirty bird that befools its own nest. It is a senseless scoundrel who, having invoked assistance to secure the location of a public institution in his locality, attempts to injure it because it is not conducted to his liking!

LAST Monday evening, the Hoxie Sentinel tells, E. C. Clearman was attacked by a vicious bull, receiving injuries which are likely to prove fatal. The bull had been deborned, or his victim would not have lived long enough to know what hurt him.

CHARACTER will tell, says Samuel Smiles. Though the reputation of men of genuine character may be of slow growth, their true qualities can not be wholly concealed. They may be misrepresented by some and misunderstood by others; misfortune and adversity may, for a time, overtake them; but with patience and endurance, they will eventually inspire the respect and command the confidence which they really deserve.

JUDGE S. J. OSBORN, of Wa-Keeney, says that Johnson is the coming man. He can take the head of the ticket and hold it up any where. Any other man mentioned would be a child in John Martin's hands. With Johnson to lead it would not be necessary to send a committee along to protect the ticket. He is the Foraker of Kansas. Give us Johnson and the latest campaign we ever had.—[Topeka Commonwealth, Thursday. Poor Humphrey! Alas! that that big-fool convention should have made him "a child in John Martin's hands," and this, too, in the face of the declaration of the sage of the West! Let's bawl!

## REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Contrary to the general expectation, there was no prolonged balloting for any of the candidates. L. U. Humphrey was nominated for governor on the third ballot; A. J. Felt for lieutenant governor on the second ballot; Wm. Higgins for secretary of state on the second ballot; McCarthy for auditor and Hamilton for treasurer were nominated unanimously; Kellogg for attorney general on the second ballot; Winans for state superintendent on the second ballot.

The convention adjourned Thursday evening.

## CAMP FIRE.

It is to be in Wa-Keeney Next Tuesday Night.

At the joint meeting of the G. A. R. Post and the Woman's Relief Corps, at Grand Army Hall, Thursday evening, it was determined that these organizations will give a camp-fire in this city Tuesday night, July 31.

The Collier Post and the Woman's Relief Corps of that place are especially invited to be present. Old soldiers and their families throughout the county are invited to participate in this camp-fire. Refreshments in the way of ice cream, cake, etc., will be served. Good music will be dispensed.

This is to be a rousing affair for patriotism and sociability.

The following order will explain the tune by which the boys to the west will march down:

HEADQUARTERS COLLYER POST.  
No. 107, G. A. R.  
July 27, 1888.

The members of Collyer Post are hereby ordered, on pain of missing a rare treat in the case of disobedience, to be in Wa-Keeney Tuesday night, July 31, and in making the G. A. R. camp-fire a success.  
J. W. BURNS,  
Commander.

## PROGRAM

Of the Trego County Sunday School Convention

To be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday and Saturday, August 3 and 4, 1888.

FRIDAY MORNING—10:30 O'CLOCK.  
Devotional exercises—Rev. F. L. Walker.  
Address—Rev. J. A. Bright.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—2:30 O'CLOCK.  
Aim of the Sunday school—A. W. Purinton, Chas. Lee.

Convention of the children—H. N. Rogers.  
How shall we improve our teachers?—W. Updegrave.

The Bible in the school—J. H. Hamm.

FRIDAY EVENING—8 O'CLOCK.  
Music as an element of religious culture—Mrs. Fannie King.

Temperance in the Sunday school—Rev. E. Richards.

Teachers' meetings—Rev. W. B. Brown.

SATURDAY MORNING—10 O'CLOCK.  
Devotional exercises.

Why do not the children need religious instruction through the winter?—T. J. Hinchey, W. B. Robinson.

The Bible in the home—Mrs. Womner.

The Bible class—Mrs. A. L. Faxon.

Importance of Scripture knowledge to the young—Miss Knapp.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.  
Devotional exercises.

Proper arrangements for the young—Rev. W. H. Mahaffie.

Duties of vice president—N. A. Walker.

How shall we inspire enthusiasm in the Sunday school work?—O. A. Oortright.

Report from schools.

Election of officers.

Question box.

SATURDAY EVENING—8 O'CLOCK.  
Song and praise service.

Address—Rev. J. A. Bright.

We hope to see one or more present from every school in the county.

Entertainment will be provided for all who come.  
F. L. WALKER,  
Secretary.

—Thos. L. Fike and T. E. Phillips, of Collyer, were in the city yesterday

## COLLYER CAWINGS.

COLLYER, July 25, 1888.

Callers.

Base-ball games.

Did you see the eclipse?

Sunday school was held in the G. A. R. Hall.

Next Sunday will be the regular day for preaching.

The W. R. C. ladies held a meeting Saturday afternoon.

J. H. Brown, of Wa-Keeney, paid his brother Dan a visit Sunday.

J. C. Martin has finished the carpenter's work on Mr. Swiggett's house.

Walter Bruner was at Buffalo Park on Friday to see the game of base ball.

Frank Fouts, who is attending the normal, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

M. P. Goodwin has purchased a new show case and a fine line of soap, etc.

Mrs. Lindsey returned Thursday, after a few weeks visit with Ellis county friends.

Gum chewing is fast becoming the leading occupation of the boys and girls of this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Blas, of Ellis, have returned to Collyer and are living in the Smith property.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson, of Wa-Keeney, came to Collyer Thursday after their household goods.

Mrs. H. E. York will make final proof on her pre-emption, four miles northeast of town, next month.

J. H. Siebert and family, of Wa-Keeney, were the guests of Collyer on Saturday and of G. W. Keeler's on Sunday.

T. A. Phillips came home from the railroad Saturday evening, and spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. Reed, of Crest, Nebraska, proprietor of the horse ranch east of town, arrived last week to look after things.

Mr. Snyder, who has been living in the horse ranch, has moved his family to his daughter's claim, on Big creek.

Mr. Manning, of Jewell county, came down to build on his claim—the Mineheart claim. He will send for his family soon.

Tom Patterson, Bert McMillin's cousin, returned to his home in Chicago Wednesday, after spending a week in "Sunny Kansas."

A party was given at the hotel Friday evening, in honor of Gus. Minert, which was well attended. The ice cream was good, also the music and dancing.

Gus. Minert, of Wright, Kansas, and nephew of agent Brown, spent a few days of last week with his relatives. Gus is a jolly fellow and won plenty of friends while here.

Last Saturday was a noted day in the history of Collyer, or at least the Collyer boys thought so when they won the game of base ball which was played with the Wa-Keeney second nine. The game was very interesting and both sides were very enthusiastic. Temp smith came in from the railroad in time to join in the game.

## NORMAL NOTES.

Mrs. A. B. Baker called during the latter part of the week.

Mrs. and Miss Heilig and Ira Upshaw visited the normal Friday.

Miss Estella Wilson, of Wallace, and Mr. Robinson are among the recent additions to our roll.

There is but one native of Kansas attending the institute; Illinois and Ohio have the largest representations.

School boards desiring to select meritorious teachers would do well to spend a day or two at the institute. The best workers in the county normals are usually the most progressive and enterprising workers in the school room.

Every effort is being made to make the work as practical as possible, not only by giving academic instruction, but by giving methods of imparting knowledge. It is more fully realized to-day than ever before that the one who knows most is not necessarily the best teacher. The how to teach is co-ordinate in value with the what to teach, and this point is being emphasized in our work this year.

The social passed off pleasantly. The nativity of the teachers made a diversion that was agreeable.

The natives of each state had elected a speaker who gave a short history of the state, bringing in interesting events, persons and places, as well as the way the state expected to vote in the coming election.

Miss Neuschwander gave a synopsis of the government of Switzerland, and closed with a charming word picture of a thunderstorm in the valley, seen from above the clouds.

DANCE.

## New School Houses.

In talking with Superintendent Baker, we learn that within the past year eight substantial school houses—to say nothing of temporary ones—have been built in Trego county. Below is the list:

One in district 33; cost \$450.

One in district 19; cost \$300.

One in district 30; cost \$700.

One in district 15; cost \$800.

One in district 18; cost \$400.

One in district 32; cost \$350.

One in district 35; cost \$400.

One in district 31; cost \$400.

These eight school houses have been built at an average cost of \$550 each.

They are substantial buildings, and speak emphatically of the progress of educational affairs in Trego county.

—The Passenger Department of the Union Pacific, "The Overland Route," has issued a neat little pamphlet, pocket size, entitled "National Platform Book," containing the Democratic, Republican and Prohibition Platforms, together with the address of acceptance of Grover Cleveland, Benjamin Harrison and Clinton B. Fisk; also tabulated table showing the plurality vote, the electoral vote and an analysis of the vote as cast for Cleveland and Blaine in 1884.

This book is just what is needed at this time and should be in the hands of every voter. It plainly sets forth what each party has to offer and every reader can draw his own comparison.

Address, J. S. TARRANTS,  
General Passenger Agent,  
Union Pacific Railway,  
Omaha, Neb.

—E. R. Moffit, of the Gibson neighborhood, arrived in town from Colorado Thursday morning. He had been in Denver for three or four months, working at his trade as a machinist. It has been his expectation to start east shortly—perhaps to-day—to visit friends in Massachusetts. He will take in the Cincinnati exposition on the way.

—It is Superintendent Baker's opinion that applicants for schools in this county the coming fall will just about equal the number of schools to be taught. The wages per month will average about thirty dollars, but in one or two districts fifty dollars will be paid, in several forty, and in others thirty-five.

—Mr. C. C. Bestor made a trip to the south part of the county to adjust the loss occasioned by lightning to Mr. Charles Cornelissen's residence, on which the Kansas Home Insurance Company had \$600 insurance.

—Ex-County Surveyor Wilson had the misfortune one day last week to step on the neck of a deer bottle, with the result of spraining one of his ankles. He has not entirely recovered from the injury.

—We are pained to learn of the death at Millbrook, Thursday night, of the child of Mr. and Mrs. Milt L. Singrey.

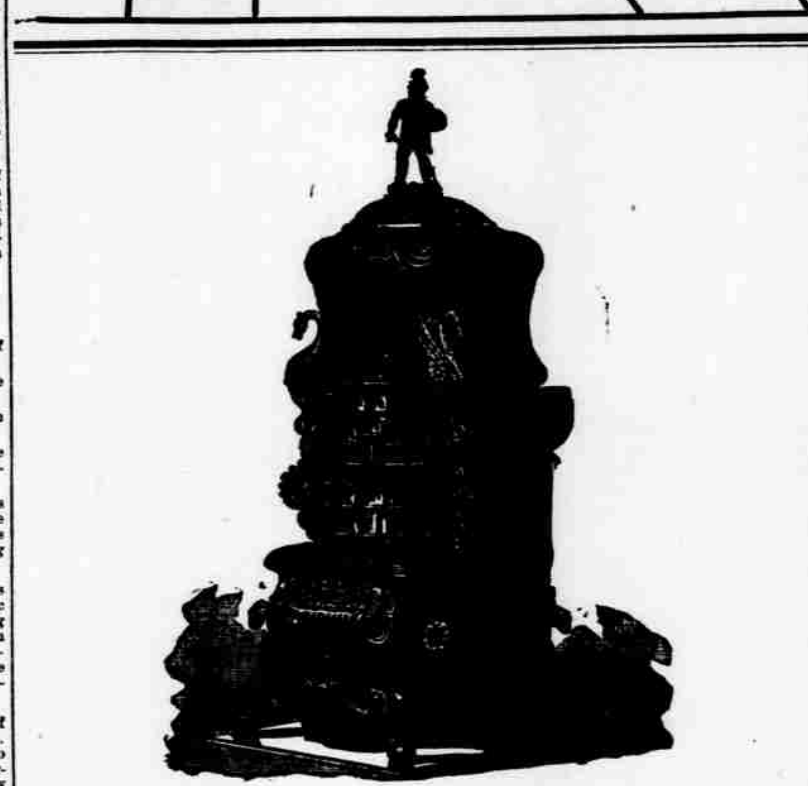
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**FOR SALE AT COST.**

—Wm. Gilmore, an enterprising merchant of Quinter, was in Wa-Keeney a few days this week.

—County Treasurer Gibbs went to Topeka on Tuesday to make his summer settlement with the state treasurer.

—Ben Jackson, the blacksmith, has been quite sick for a portion of the week. He was confined to his bed for a day or two.

—Mrs. Doug. Webster and her little daughter passed through here Thursday evening, on their way to their home, in Dakota.

—Will Kelly is imbued thoroughly with the tree spirit. He has thirty-five trees in his yard. A few days ago he treated each of them to a barrel of water. This is the kind of courage that counts.

—Rev. Father Fogarty, of Ellis, will say mass in the Catholic church at Wa-Keeney to-morrow (Sunday), at 10 o'clock a. m. Mr. Fogarty, in a letter to Mr. Spicer, states that there will be regular Catholic services in Wa-Keeney on one Sunday in each month.

—Messrs. Geo. I. Verbeck and R. C. Wilson reached home Thursday morning from Colorado. They spent about a week up there, visiting Denver, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Pike's Peak. They took a day to go from Manitou to the top of that lofty mountain spire and back. They hired a mule apiece and a guide. Cataract after cataract had to be crossed in making the trip. To follow the circuitous path to the top of the peak, and then get back to Manitou, required a ride of twenty-four miles. When the top of the peak was reached, a storm was raging, so that the sight could penetrate only a distance of a few rods in any direction. Coffee, at the house on the summit, cost twenty-five cents a cup, the weather was cold and breath difficult to get.

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